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BEFORE THE POSTAL RATE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0801

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Docket Nos. R97-1

NOTICE OF INTERVENTION OF AMERICAN BUSINESS PRESS

Pursuant to Section 3001.20 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure and Order No. 1186, issued July 11, 1997, the American Business Press ("ABP") hereby notices its intervention as a full participant in the above-captioned docket.

ABP is an association with 158 member companies publishing 937 member trade, business, professional and medical periodicals mailed at the regular periodicals rates. ABP member publications pay nearly \$200,000,000 in periodical postage alone, in addition to other classes of postage, and will be significantly affected by any increases in postal rates.

ABP requests a hearing in his case and intends to participate actively in these proceedings.

Service of all documents relating to these proceedings should be made upon the persons listed below:

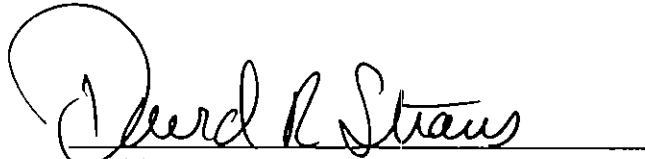
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Respectfully submitted,

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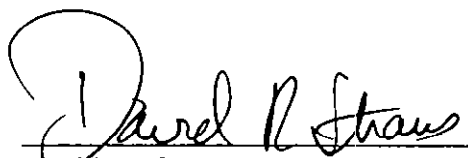
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this 18th day of July, 1997, caused a copy of the foregoing document to be served upon the United States Postal Service and the Officer of the Commission.



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